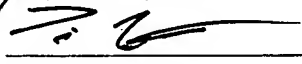


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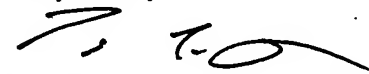
Sir:

It is respectfully requested that the time for response to the Office Action dated August 4, 2005 be extended for a period of three month(s) from November 4, 2005 to and including February 6, 2006 (February 4, 2006 being a Saturday).

The fee for this extension is estimated to be \$1020.00. Please charge the required fee to Morgan, Lewis & Bockius LLP Deposit Account No. 50-0310 (order no. 060945-0133). A copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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